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VIA HAND DELIVERY

David Waddell
Executive Director
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

Re: Addendum to Application of Everest Connections Corporation for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Exchange Service, Exchange Access, and Interexchange Service Within Tennessee Docket No. 00-00114

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Everest Connections Corporation ("Everest" or "Applicant") hereby submits the following information, pursuant to an Information Request:

- Please identify all complaints filed with state and regulatory agencies involving your company or any affiliated entities. Identify the nature of the complaint, which governmental agency or office received the complaint, and how was the complaint resolved?

There have been no complaints filed against Everest or any of its affiliates.

- Provide current financial statements of the parent company since Everest does not have current financial statements.

Filed under separate cover is additional information to be placed in Attachment D to the Application, which is proprietary information. Because this information is highly confidential and proprietary, Everest requests that the Tennessee Regulatory Authority not disclose this financial information to the public or to any of Everest's

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competitors.

- Provide sources of funding for the Tennessee network and equipment such as : cash, loan commitments, vendor credits, letter of credit, etc.

Everest has raised \$120 million dollars in private equity during its initial round of financing. The Tennessee network will be financed through ongoing operations and through additional debt and equity offerings.

- Please quantify amounts included in the financial statements and projections relating to reciprocal compensation for terminating ISP traffic.

Everest has not included any reciprocal compensation for ISP traffic in its financial statements.

- Please state the PIC change charge and the length of time for the waiver period.

New customers will have a 6-month waiver for the PIC charge. After the waiver period they will be charged \$5.00 for a PIC change.

Please date-stamp one copy and return it to the undersigned in the postage-paid envelope provided. If you have any questions concerning this matter, or if you require additional information, please give me a call at 252-2302.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC



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